

Prayers



Please call the office to help us keep these prayers current.

- * [Alice Cuba](#)—hospitalized and recovering following emergency surgery
 - † Pat Carson and family— in the passing of her father.
 - † [Gerda Trei](#)— Hilde Lowry’s mother, recovering from hip replacement surgery
 - † [Blair Smallwood](#)—recovering from knee surgery
 - † [Todd Williams’ father](#)— recovering from double by-pass surgery
 - † [For all in our FCLC family](#)—who have lost jobs recently.
 - † Jon Prout, Eric Smith, Aaron Hartman, Zack Morton, Brandon Lockwood, Nicholas Hennig, Ian McCormick, Matthew Parker, Jared Adams, Chris Hassa, Robb Kammerzell, Brent Davis, Ryan Moore—FCLC members & relatives of members in US military forces—for God’s protection; strength for body, mind and soul.
 - † [Matt Brents](#)—in Iraq on a one-year civilian contract. Pray for peace & safety.
- The following families who are battling cancer and its effects:**
- * [Steve Mason](#)— diagnosed with colon cancer
 - † [Mary Konicek](#)—began chemotherapy on May 26th.
 - † [Mike & Alicia Stover](#)—as Mike begins bone marrow transplant June 15.
 - † [Sally Meier’s](#) father, Richard Johnson, effects of radiation treatments from prostate cancer.
 - † [Mark Praska’s](#) father diagnosed with prostate cancer.
 - † [Lincoln Hammett](#)—(5-month old baby), friend of the Williams’ battling leukemia.
 - † [Linda Parker’s](#) father, Claywell Clausen, battling aggressive throat cancer.
 - † [Sharon Kirby-Cole](#)—her son, DJ, battling terminal cancer.

* Signifies new prayer request or change to prayer request

Prayer-chain...If you would like to join the prayer chain or if you have a prayer request, please contact us at Prayer-chain@fclc.org. You must subscribe to the prayer-chain *before* you can post your own prayer requests. If you do not belong to the Prayer-Chain and have a prayer concern, please call the church office at 303-776-8771 or Marsha Tollefson at 303-651-2354, and your prayer request will be posted.

The Week Ahead at FCLC For updated info: www.fclc.org

Sunday, June 14
8:30 AM WORSHIP
9:45 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM WORSHIP
12:15 PM - 1:15 PM Work Camp Meeting
2:00 PM - 6:00 PM Centro Cristiano Church
9:30 PM - 11:30 PM Cleaners
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM Fireproof Bible Study
7:30 PM - 8:30 PM New Wine/Kingdom Tales

Monday, June 15

Tuesday, June 16
7:00 AM - 8:00 AM Men's "Genesis" Study
9:30 AM - 11:30 AM Knitters & Crocheters
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Staff Meeting
6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Centro Cristiano Church
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM FCLC Long Range Planning
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Men's "Proverbs" Study

Wednesday, June 17
6:30 AM - 7:30 AM Men's "Deuteronomy"
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM Library Committee
10:00 AM - 10:45 AM Kneesitter’s Club
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Fire Up!
8:30 PM - 10:00 PM Cleaners

Thursday, June 18
9:30 AM - 11:00 AM Women's Bible (Joshua)
9:30 AM - 11:00 AM Women's "Gospel of John"
6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Centro Cristiano Church
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Worship Team Rehearsal
9:15 PM - 10:00 PM FCLC Men’s Softball Game
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Worship Team
8:15 PM - 9:00 PM FCLC Men's Softball

Friday, June 19
Saturday, June 20
8:00 AM—9:00 AM Men’s Reading Group
5:00 PM - 5:30 PM Worship "Pray&Prep"
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM WORSHIP
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Cleaners
Sunday, June 21 FATHER’S DAY
8:30 AM WORSHIP
9:45 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM WORSHIP
11:00AM - 12:15PM Wilderness Journey Bible Study
2:00 PM - 6:00 PM Centro Cristiano Church
5:30 PM - 7:00 PM Cleaners

Holy Trinity
Saturday, June 13, 2009 - Worship at 5:30PM
June 14, 2009
Sunday Worship Services - 8:30 A.M and 11:00 A.M

Here at Faith Community Lutheran... We almost always follow the traditional order of worship familiar to most Lutherans, but usually our services are a “blend” of old and new music. As Lutherans, we view ourselves as a church of “Word & Sacrament.” Therefore, “God’s Word” is held in high esteem as we follow lessons and the sermon with our Bibles open.

FCLC is among a growing number of Lutheran Churches committed to celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion every week, including the baptized of all ages. As we begin our worship, all are invited to “examine themselves” (1 Cor.11:28) during the Confession as we prepare to receive the Word and Holy Communion.

Gathering as Community

Gathering Music	Time for Prayer and Meditation
Welcome	Brit Windel
Opening Hymn	“Your Grace is Enough”
Apostolic Greeting, Confession & Forgiveness	
† Song of Praise	“Beautiful Savior”
Prayer of the Day	

Proclaiming, Hearing the Word

First Lesson	Ezekiel 17:22-24 p1207
Psalm	92:12-15 p845
Second Lesson	2 Corinthians 5:6-17 p1657
† Gospel Verse	“Word of God Speak”
The Holy Gospel	Mark 4:26-34 p1441
The Peace is Shared	We invite you to learn new names.
† Children’s Message	Nanette Goings
Sermon	“Hope Abounds” Pastor Michael O’Grady
Hymn of Response	“More Precious than Sliver”
Statement of Faith	The Apostle’s Creed
Tithes & Offerings	“God is in It” Jennifer Walder & Diane Sell
† Offertory	“You are Holy, You are Whole”
Prayers	Worshippers are invited to share their prayers.

Sharing the Meal

Words of Institution	The Lord’s Prayer
Sacrament of Holy Communion	
“Wonderful, Merciful Savior,” “Just as I Am,” “Lord Have Mercy,” “When the Night is Falling,” “Breathe,” “He Who Began a Good Work in You”	

Post-Communion Blessing

Sending Out

Closing Hymn	“Will the Circle Be Unbroken”
Dismissal	Go in Peace, Serve the Lord...
Postlude	

† Sunday only

We welcome little children as we worship! If you do need to step out because of a restless child, we have equipped both the narthex and nursery with excellent speakers to serve your worshiping needs. —Thank you.



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Holy Trinity
June 13 & 14, 2009

Welcome, Guests!
We are grateful that you have remembered the Sabbath to keep it holy.

Palm Tree and Cedar of Lebanon

There are passages in the Bible that are addressed directly to the “children of God.” Psalm 92 is one of them. How do we measure up to the description of God’s child?

It begins describing the Sabbath Day, the day for public worship of “the Most High” God, as a special day for God’s people. Week by week, we gather together to recognize God’s love and to give God thanks. “Our God is on high forever,” says the Psalmist. This he knows out of his own experience! Imagine the writer jumping for joy, tossing his head with the sensation of power, because of His awesome God!

The psalmist uses the imagery of two trees: the palm tree and the cedar of Lebanon to describe the “righteous person,” the child of God. In Africa we saw the benefits of the palm tree, “upright” and tall. It provides food (coconuts or dates) and palm oil for cooking. Its leaves cover roofs of huts, and its materials are used for ropes and mats. Its genius is that it can bend before the hurricane, and survive the worst of storms. The cedars of Lebanon are magnificent trees—growing to 130 feet and forty feet in girth—living a long time.

The children of God, those who open their lives to God, portray the wonder and beauty of God’s Spirit. They are like springs of water in a parched world. They flourish even amid the distortions and the ugliness around them. Their lives are rich and productive in a barren and desolate society.

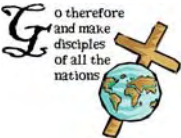
Like the palm tree and the cedar who drop their seeds for new growth, God’s people seed God’s Word encouraging many to be children of God. And even as the righteous grow into full maturity, even in their old age, they still bear fruit and show forth the grace and vitality of God’s love. They tell others how good God is, how wonderful life is as God’s child, worshiping and praising God, and trusting God who is their rock—their stronghold.

Prayer: Help us, those of us who love You, O God,

To prove to our disjointed world

That You are in our midst. Amen ~Tyger Penson

The mission Christ gave to all churches...
-Matthew 28:19



Scripture Readings for June 21, 2009

<u>First Lesson:</u> Job 38:1-11	<u>Second Lesson:</u> 2 Corinthians 6:1-13
<u>Psalm</u> 107:23-32	<u>Holy Gospel:</u> Mark 4:35-41

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Dear Faith Community,

If you have a request to schedule a meeting at the church, borrow equipment or property from the church or need to submit a notice of an event in the bulletin, newsletter, FCLCnews or on the VPU, please submit your request to the church at our office email address: office@fclc.org or please call us at 303-776-8771. - Thanks!

<u>WORSHIP SERVANTS:</u>	Time	<u>June 13, 14</u>	<u>June 20, 21</u>
<u>Sound System:</u>	<i>Saturday</i> 8:30 AM 11:00 AM	Lee Quaintance Dave Sell Dave Sell	Lee Quaintance Jan Baas Jan Baas
<u>Power Point Input</u> <u>Video Projection</u>	<i>Saturday</i> 8:30 AM 11:00 AM	Dawn Baas Steve Hansen JD Sell	Stacia Keller Steve Hansen Marcie Mason
<u>Greeters</u>	<i>Saturday</i> 8:30 AM 11:00 AM	Mike & Lisa Smith Ed & Donna Smith Pete & Sandy Seale	Mike & Lisa Smith Ed & Donna Smith W. Kerr/J. Zumhove
<u>Ushers</u>	<i>Saturday</i> 8:30 AM 8:30 AM 11:00 AM 11:00 AM	Mike & Lisa Smith Gary Grabou Wayne Hubert Mike Hoops Mike Schaff	Mike & Lisa Smith M. Hoops/M. Flowers Jeff Bladt
<u>Acolyte</u> Nanette Goings 303-772-6269	8:30 AM 11:00 AM	Lukas Sell Sam Schaff	
<u>Lector</u>	<i>Saturday</i> 8:30 AM 11:00 AM	Mike & Lisa Smith Donna Smith LaRae Schaff	Evelyn Weston
<u>Communion Preparation</u> Joyce Heimbichner 303-772-2158	<i>Saturday</i> before/after 8:30	Mike & Lisa Smith Marilyn & Harvey Jackson	Mike & Lisa Smith Nick & Holly Lehnert
<u>Communion Servers</u>	<i>Saturday</i> 8:30 AM 8:30 AM 11:00 AM 11:00 AM	Mike & Lisa Smith Steve/Carole Freeman Kaydeen & Rygell Hubert Tony Schaff C. Hostetter/R. Hoops	Mike & Lisa Smith Steve & Carole Freeman Leslie Stechman Gail Felton
<u>Communion Clean-up</u> Chris Goble 303-848-8121	<i>Saturday</i> after 11:00 AM	Mike & Lisa Smith TBD	Mike & Lisa Smith
<u>Nursery</u> Natalie Boggess 303-823-8683	8:30 AM 9:45 AM 11:00 AM	Laura & Dan Meyers No nursery in summer TBD	No nursery in summer Scott & Stacie Francis
<u>Children's Church</u>	11:00 AM asst	Nanette Goings Elisabeth Phelan	Julie Knutson Nick & Lexie Knutson
<u>Office Volunteers</u> <u>Coffee Clean-Up</u>	8:30 AM-11:00 AM after 11:00 AM	Stacia Keller Lee & Tanja Nelson	Veta Hartman

Work Camp Meeting

There is a **MANDATORY** meeting **TODAY**, June 14th at 12:15 PM in the Sunrise Room (226). We have a lot of items to cover as we prepare for the trip to Waterloo. If you have any questions, please contact Sililo at 303-678-0138 or swc258@yahoo.com or Brit Windel at 303-776-8771 or brit@fclc.org.



Couples’ Bible Study meets **TODAY**, June 14th from 6:00 PM-7:30 PM in the Sunrise Room (226). Please note the change in time (this study only) is due to the New Wine Music and Drama troupe performance.



...a youth music and drama troupe based at Zion Lutheran Church in Cloquet, MN will be presenting “Kingdom Tales” at Faith **TO-DAY**, Sunday, June 14th at 7:30 PM. NEW WINE strives to promote friendship and understanding among their students, who come from varied religious backgrounds.

“Kingdom Tales,” is a lively retelling of several parables, cleverly intertwining the lives of the characters in the play with the lives of those in the Bible stories. The program is approximately 90 minutes and is open to the public. A free will offering will be collected to help with the group’s travel expenses. Come have a delightful evening!



Faith Inkubators

Have you wanted to find a way to really talk about faith and God with your children on a day-to-day basis that really impacts their lives? Faith Inkubators can help! Glory of God Lutheran Church, in Wheatridge, CO, is hosting one of the founders of Faith Inkubators, Rich Melheim, on June 20th (Saturday). Starting at 12:30 PM there will be 5 seminars teaching parents how they can become more purposeful in rearing their youth in Faith.

Registration can be found at www.faithink.com. There is free worship that night that will be great for the whole family. We encourage you to come by 7:00 PM. If you have any questions or want to participate in the Conference, please contact Brit at brit@fclc.org.



Wilderness Journey Bible Study

Traveling to Egypt in October with the group from FCLC? Or, are you interested in knowing more about Egypt, Jordan, Israel and the Bible stories that took place there? Please join us:

June 21, July 19, August 2, August 16, and August 30
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (during late service)
Room 107

Contact: Nanette Goings at nanette@fclc.org

Baby Bottle Campaign

Please note that the *last day* to turn in your contributions for this fund-raiser for Life Choices is *next Sunday, June 21st (Father’s Day)*. Please contact Thelma McDonald at thelmac39@aol.com if you have any questions. - Thanks



Endowment Fund applications...

are currently being accepted through June 30th, 2009. Applications are in the church office and can be returned to Susan Moller when completed. FCLC’s Endowment Fund is for the purpose of enhancing and extending the life and mission of the congregation through support of domestic and foreign missions; scholarships; professional staff for special services; community projects; and building expansion or improvements. If you have any questions, call Susan in the church office or email her at sue@fclc.org.

Water Works Park Vacation Bible School!

July 13th, 14th, 15th / 9:00 AM-11:30 AM

Registration Today! To register, please sign up on the bulletin board downstairs or contact Nanette Goings at nanette@fclc.org. Don’t forget to fill out an emergency contact form!

Summer of Gifts Sunday School

Please join us for our Summer of Gifts Sunday School held each Sunday from 9:45 AM -10:45 AM. Even if you haven’t registered, please feel free to join us! If you have questions about registration or any of the classes on the schedule, please contact Nanette at Nanette@fclc.org.

The Knee Sitter's Club



Join us each Wednesday throughout the summer from 10:00 AM – 10:45 AM. Children ages 3 through 2nd grade are invited to come to this **Christian story hour** plus crafts, snacks, and/or games. The children will be invited to check out a book from the church library. Contact nanette@fclc.org for more information!

Who Loves to Read?

Say, “**I DO**,” by joining our summer reading program for **ALL AGES**. Check out a book and watch the total grow on the Books Read counter behind the library desk beginning with books returned June 10th. For every 15 books read, a new book will be purchased for the FCLC library. Also, for every 15 books read, a donor has offered to purchase one board book for toddler readers-to-be in needy families...a book of their ‘very own’ to love and ‘read’ until it’s time for ‘really reading.’ Come, visit the library to-day! - Lois H. Ward



Summer Servant Sign-Ups

Do you like to meet new people?



Drink coffee?



Read out loud? **Would you like to SERVE the Lord?** If so, then please help us by signing up to be a greeter, usher, lector, communion server, to make or clean up after coffee, or to help out in the nursery! Serving is simple-just sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex (near the water fountain) or by contacting Tanja Nelson in the church office at 303-776-8771 or office@fclc.org.

Do You Know Someone Who...



is going through a difficult time? Are you struggling with the loss of a loved one, loneliness, cancer, a lay-off, divorce, spiritual crisis, recuperation, or depression? Our Stephen Ministers can provide the support you need. Talk with one of our Stephen Leaders: Julie Baas (303-772-4995) or Stephanie Mason (970-744-0084). It’s distinctively Christian. It’s confidential. It’s a great way for us to show you how much we care! Please let us know if you’d like prayers and anointing with oil after worship. This can be arranged on short notice!! Just tell Pastor Dan.

If you desire personal prayer support, two Stephen Ministers will be available to pray with people after each service.

Worship Attendance Week 23		
	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Sat 5:30	64	77
Sun 8:30	169	126
Sun 11:00	252	280
Totals:	485	483
2009 Summer Sunday School Attendance:	117	
2008 Summer Sunday School Attendance:	124	
2009 Average Attendance:	568	
2008 Average Attendance:	519	

Treasurer's Report Through 05/31/09			
	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Budget YTD	\$372,404	\$335,677	\$296,178
General Offering YTD	\$334,129	\$287,838	\$243,769
Expenses YTD	\$305,620	\$269,399	\$269,559
Needed per week	\$17,187	\$14,438	\$13,376
Received per week	\$15,188	\$13,084	\$11,080

June 14, 2009
2nd Weekend after Pentecost